

# County of Passaic

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Agenda: RESOLUTION APPOINTING GEORGE ROSENTHAL AS PASSAIC COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COORDINATOR, PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. APP.A:9-42.1

THIS RESOLUTION WAS REQUESTED BY:  
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REVIEWED BY:

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**RESOLUTION APPOINTING GEORGE ROSENTHAL AS PASSAIC COUNTY  
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COORDINATOR, PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. APP.A:9-42.1**

**WHEREAS**, the County of Passaic (“County”) is a body politic and corporate pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:18-1 and vested with all rights contained therein; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:20-1, the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Passaic (“Board”) is vested with managing the property, finances, and affairs of the County; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to N.J.S.A. App.A:9-42.1, the Board shall appoint a county emergency management coordinator for a three (3) year term; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with N.J.S.A. App.A:9-42.2, the county emergency management coordinator shall be responsible for the development, coordination, and activation of countywide mutual aid emergency management plans; and for the activation of such emergency management facilities and services as are available from the resources of the county government; and

**WHEREAS**; pursuant to N.J.S.A. App.A:9-42.1, county emergency management coordinator appointments are subject to the approval of the State Director of Emergency Management and thereafter shall be subject to his orders; and the State Director of Emergency Management shall exercise supervision and control of all such appointees, who may be removed by said State Director of Emergency Management for cause; and

**WHEREAS**, on May 24, 2022, the Board passed Resolution No. R-22-0494, appointing Passaic County Sherrif Richard H. Berdnik as Passaic County Emergency Management Coordinator for a three (3) year term, commencing April 1, 2022 and expiring March 31, 2025; and

**WHEREAS**, the position of Passaic County Emergency Management Coordinator is currently vacant and the Passaic County Administrator is recommending to appoint George Rosenthal as Passaic County Emergency Management Coordinator for a three (3) year term, commencing February 14, 2024 and expiring February 13, 2027; and

**WHEREAS**, this matter was discussed at the February 7, 2024 Administration & Finance Committee meeting, and is being recommended to the Board for approval; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED**, pursuant to N.J.S.A. App.A:9-42.1, the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Passaic appoints George Rosenthal as Passaic County Emergency Management Coordinator for a three (3) year term, commencing February 14, 2024 and expiring February 13, 2027.

**LET IT BE FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Clerk of the Board shall send a certified copy of this resolution to the State Director of Emergency Management for approval.

**LET IT BE FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Clerk of the Board, County Counsel, County Administrator, and Director of the Board are authorized to take any action necessary to carry out the purpose of this Resolution.